

ALLIANCEBERNSTEIN HOLDING L.P.  
Form DEFA14A  
May 25, 2010

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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SCHEDULE 14-A  
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THIS PROXY WILL BE VOTED AS DIRECTED, OR IF NO DIRECTION IS INDICATED, WILL BE VOTED "FOR" THE APPROVAL OF THE 2010 LONG TERM INCENTIVE PLAN.

Please mark your votes as indicated in this example

x

The Board of Directors and Management recommend you to vote "FOR" item 1.

FOR      AGAINST      ABSTAIN

1. Long Term Incentive Plan            o            o            o

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Signature

Signature

Date

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## PROXY

AllianceBernstein Holding L.P.

Special Meeting of Unitholders – June 30, 2010

THIS PROXY IS SOLICITED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY

The undersigned hereby appoints Laurence E. Cranch and Mona Bhalla, and each of them, with power to act without the other and with power of substitution, as proxies and attorneys-in-fact and hereby authorizes them to represent and vote, as provided on the other side, all AllianceBernstein Holding Units which the undersigned is entitled to vote, and, in their discretion, to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the Special Meeting of Unitholders of the company to be held June 30, 2010 or at any adjournment or postponement thereof, with all powers which the undersigned would possess if present at the Special Meeting.

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(Mark the corresponding box on the reverse side)

BNY MELLON SHAREOWNER SERVICES  
P.O. BOX 3550  
SOUTH HACKENSACK, NJ 07606-9250

(Continued and to be marked, dated and signed, on the  
other side)

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